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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

HABERMANN et al.

Application No.: 09/664,326

Filed: September 18, 2000

For: SIGNAL SEQUENCES FOR
PREPARING LEU-HIRUDIN BY
SECRETION BY E. COLI INTO
THE CULTURE MEDIUM

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Group Art Unit: 1653

Examiner: H. Schnizer

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) for a one month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of June 27, 2002. A fee of \$110.00 is enclosed.


Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: October 10, 2002

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